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Applicant: Shuichi Takagi et al.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated January 6, 2009, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1047 the two-month extension fee (\$490) and the fee for two additional claims (\$104). It is further requested that the Commissioner charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account 50-1047.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8.